

Country Life in a Big City



An idyllic picture of rustic beauty such as one would expect in the farming country, but never in the noisy metropolis. These sheep are the wards of New York City and receive great care; they attract the youngsters of the nearby streets and form one of Central Park's many interesting sights. Only a few blocks away from the scene shown in this picture we find Columbus Circle, reputed to be the busiest spot in the city.

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THE STATUE OF LIBERTY, a gift of the French people to the United States, is the work of Bartholdi, the famous French sculptor. © U. & U.



A VIEW OF NEW YORK HARBOR, showing the historic Aquarium. The view of the Harbor from this spot is most impressive. © U. & U.

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VIEW OF BATTERY PARK FROM GOVERNOR'S ISLAND. In front are the Staten Island and South Brooklyn ferries, connecting Manhattan and the other boroughs.

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VIEW OF NEW YORK SKYLINE FROM JERSEY CITY. Total cost of skyscrapers estimated at \$2,500,000,000, and business enterprises represent over \$250,000,000,000.

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VIEW OF NEW YORK'S SKY-LINE FROM THE NORTH RIVER. Every steamer arriving from foreign ports passes this Panorama of lower New York, with its skyscrapers and factories. © U. & U



BIRD'S-EYE VIEW OF NEW YORK AS SEEN FROM THE STATUE OF LIBERTY. It is worth while to visit the Statue to obtain this wonderful view of the world's largest city.

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U. S. BARGE OFFICE. Official home of Immigration Department, supervising new arrivals.



ELLIS ISLAND, to which all immigrants are taken for examination before landing. © Underhill



S. S. ST. LOUIS. This steamer has rendered valuable service during two wars. © U. & U.



S. S. AQUITANIA. This giant ocean liner is one of the largest afloat.



S. S. IMPERATOR is now a part of the Cunard Line's great fleet. © U. & U.



AQUARIUM. This building contains a remarkable collection of rarest fish. © Keystone View Co.



HUDSON RIVER DAY LINE STEAMER "HENDRICK HUDSON." One of the finest river craft. Carries 5,500 passengers. Daily service between New York and Albany. © Underhill



STEAMER NEW YORK OPPOSITE WEST POINT. Visitors to New York should not fail to take a trip on one of these large river steamers, showing the Hudson at its best. © Underhill



WILLIAMSBURG BRIDGE, from Broadway, Brooklyn, to Delancy Street, Manhattan.
7,200 feet long, 118 feet wide, towers 335 feet above water. Cost \$23,000,000. © U. & U.



BROOKLYN BRIDGE, over East River, from Park Row, Manhattan, to Sand Street,
Brooklyn. Begun in 1870, finished in 1883. Cost \$21,000,000. © U. & U.



MANHATTAN BRIDGE, connecting New York with Brooklyn, is noted for its approaches. It has helped to relieve traffic congestion and carries Brooklyn's population to work! © Underhill



QUEENSBORO BRIDGE. The connecting link between Manhattan and Long Island, it carries a tremendous amount of traffic, leading into Long Island City © Underhill



WHITEHALL AND WASHINGTON BUILDINGS. Twin buildings covering 21 city lots and are the home of the weather bureau and Millionaires' Club.

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ADAMS EXPRESS BUILDING. An imposing structure giving a wonderful view of the busy harbor. It is one of the best examples of a modern skyscraper.

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TRINITY CHURCH, occupying one of the most expensive sites in the city. Founded in 1696. Robert Fulton, Alexander Hamilton and other Americans are buried here. © U. & U.



BROAD STREET CURB BROKERS,

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BROAD STREET CURB BROKERS, who deal in all stocks and securities not listed on the Exchange. These brokers have their offices in adjoining buildings. © Irving Underhill



BANKERS TRUST CO. BUILDING. Wall and Nassau Streets, adjoining the Hanover Bank. Built in 1911. 39 stories and 540 feet high. © American Studio



MERCHANTS NATIONAL BANK.

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WALL STREET. Foremost financial center of the world, lined with great banking houses. Named from a wall built by Peter Stuyvesant in 1653 to defend New Amsterdam. © U. & U.



NEW YORK CLEARING HOUSE. More than 60 banks and trust companies associated to exchange checks and bills against each other. Balance paid every day before 1.30 P. M.



NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE, Broad near Wall Street. Greatest market in the world for stocks, bonds and other securities. None but members allowed on floors. © U. & U.



N. Y. CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. This beautiful structure is the home of an association of New York's leading merchants, organized in 1768. © Underhill

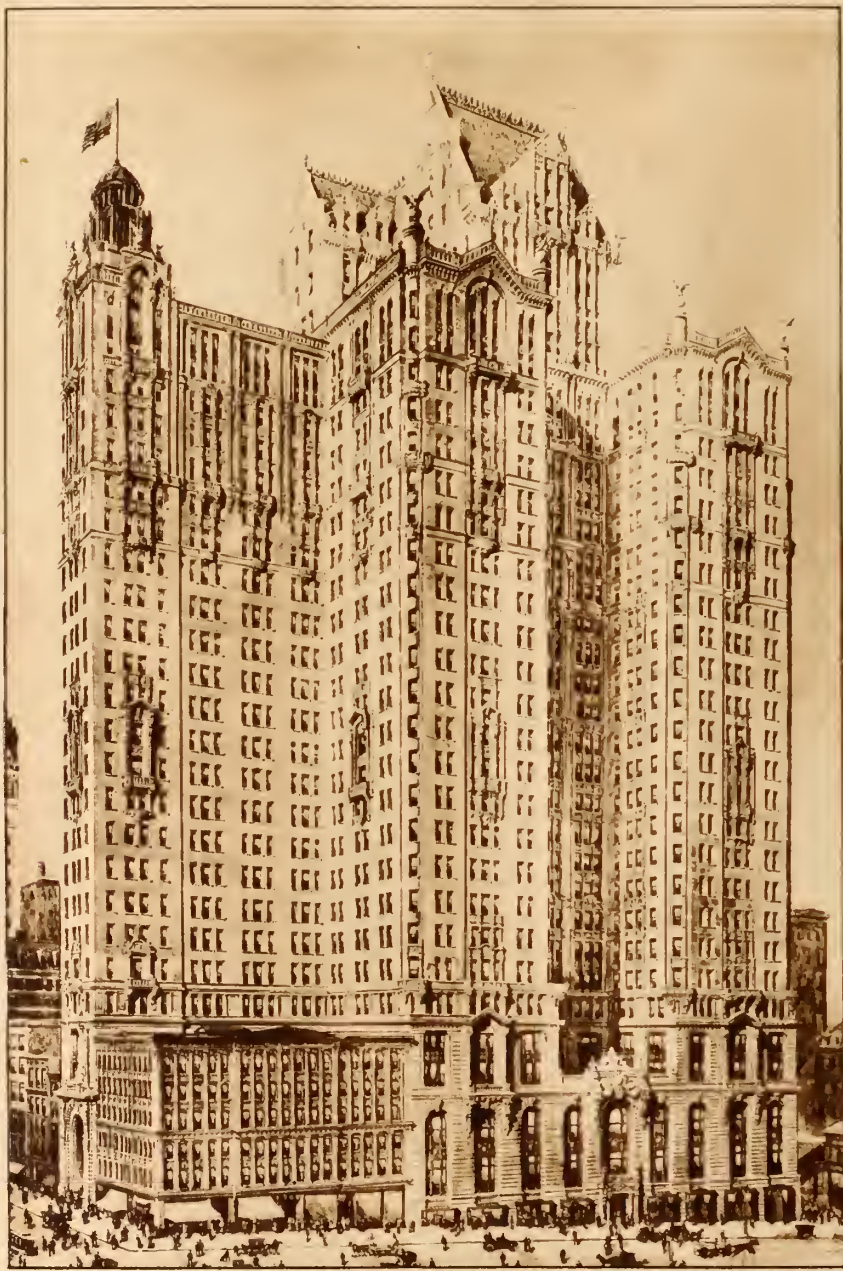


SUB-TREASURY BUILDING, BROAD AND WALL STREETS. © Keystone View Co.



CONSOLIDATED STOCK EXCHANGE.

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CITY INVESTING BUILDING, running from Broadway to Church Street. This thirty-four story office building has $13\frac{1}{2}$ acres of floor space. It is 486 feet high. © Underhill



EQUITABLE BUILDING, covering entire square block on Broadway and Cedar Street. Thirty-eight stories high and has 15,000 workers in its offices. © American Studio



HUDSON TERMINAL BUILDING. Twin structures on Church Street, 22 stories high. In basement is terminal for Hudson tube trains running under North River. © U. & U.



SINGER BUILDING, corner Liberty Street and Broadway. 49 stories and 724 feet high from basement to flagstaff. Exterior illuminated by searchlights. © Irving Underhill



WOOLWORTH BUILDING, situated on Broadway. Tallest office building in the world. Cost \$14,000,000, including site. Fifty-five stories and 793½ feet high. American Studio



MUNICIPAL BUILDING. The home of New York City's Financial and other departments. In its basement there is a subway station, starting for many important routes. © U. & U.



SKYLINE OF NEW YORK'S BUSY "DOWNTOWN" SECTION. The three towers from left to right are: Woolworth, Singer, Bankers Trust Buildings. The streets on which these buildings stand are full of historic landmarks, it being the oldest part of the city.

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STATUE OF NATHAN HALE. Handsome memorial, presented to New York State by Sons of American Revolution. Hale's famous words are inscribed on monument. © Underhill



OLD U. S. POST OFFICE. Situated at Broadway and Park Row, now outgrown by the city and replaced by the new general post office on Eighth Ave. © U. & U.



CORNER OF NEW YORK GHETTO. Section of the lower East Side crowded with Jewish families. The shops are in keen competition with the push carts. © U. & U.



NEW YORK COUNTY BUILDING. Showing the Court of General Sessions at left and the Tombs prison on the right. Also a glimpse of New York's "Bridge of Sighs." © U. & U.



LOOKING EAST FROM WOOLWORTH BUILDING. This photograph affords a good view of the three bridges over the East River. In the foreground is the Municipal Building towering above the office and residential structures in the vicinity. The terminal of the original Brooklyn Bridge, the first one in view, faces the Municipal Building

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POLICE HEADQUARTERS. Home of New York's "Finest," seat of Police Commissioner.
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CRIMINAL COURT BUILDING. Here are located the District Attorney and Courts.
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HALL OF RECORDS, housing the County Clerk and real-estate records of the city.
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MADISON SQUARE GARDEN. Most famous convention and exposition hall in the world.
Seating capacity 12,000. Tower 341 feet high. © Irving Underhill



CHINATOWN. Name given to section of downtown district on Mott Street, including
Chatham Square and vicinity. Sightseeing "busses" carry visitors here. © Underhill



FLATIRON BUILDING, so called because of its shape, is situated on 23rd Street at intersection of Broadway and Fifth Avenue. It is 300 feet high. © U. & U.



METROPOLITAN TOWER, at 1 Madison Avenue. Occupies entire block to Fourth Avenue, between 23rd and 24th Streets. Tower 52 stories, 700 feet high. © American Studio



HERALD SQUARE, formed by intersections of Broadway and 6th Avenue. The Herald building, home of the famous newspaper, occupies the center of the square. Large department stores and hotels are on either side, and many theatres, including the Metropolitan Opera House, are in the district. Brilliantly illuminated at night with electric signs. © American Studio



PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD STATION. Gigantic marble building covering the blocks bounded by 7th and 8th Avenues and 31st and 33d Streets. The arcade and main concourse extend under the street. The Pennsylvania Railroad enters New York through a series of tunnels passing under the Hudson and the East Rivers. (C) American Studio



NEW YORK PUBLIC LIBRARY, facing 5th Avenue, between 40th and 42nd Streets. Magnificent structure completed in 1911, at a cost of \$9,000,000. It combines the Astor, Lenox and Tilden libraries, and contains hundreds of priceless books and manuscripts. The building is built of Vermont marble. Has nearly 2,000,000 volumes. Art gallery on upper floor. © American Studio



NEW POST OFFICE BUILDING, situated on 8th Avenue, between 31st and 33d Streets. This handsome building was completed in 1913 at a cost of \$6,200,000. It faces the Pennsylvania Terminal and is built over the tracks of the Pennsylvania Railroad. The building covers a plot 375 by 335 feet and is built of granite in classic style of architecture. © American Studio



McALPIN HOTEL, on Broadway between 33d and 34th Streets, cost \$13,000,000. Has 28 stories, 1620 all outside rooms, 1100 baths and 1800 telephones. © Keystone



PENNSYLVANIA HOTEL. One of the world's largest hotels, the finest of the chain of Statler Hotels. A popular meeting place for New Yorkers. Has 2200 rooms. © U. & U.



WALDORF-ASTORIA HOTEL. Situated on Fifth Avenue between 33d and 34th Streets. When built was famed as finest hotel in America. Contains 1400 rooms. © U. & U.



HOTEL COMMONWEALTH. Architects' Drawing of the proposed Commonwealth Hotel, which it is claimed will be the last word in modern comfort and convenience. © Underhill
STARRETT & VAN VLECK
KING & CAMPBELL Architects
NEW YORK CITY.



HOTEL BELMONT, facing the Grand Central Station. It has 20 stories and 50 rooms on each floor. Its lobby is one of the most spacious in a city of splendid hotels. © U & U



BILTMORE HOTEL, on Madison Avenue between 43d and 44th Streets. Connected underground with Grand Central Terminal. 20 stories high and contains 1000 rooms. © Underhill



THE RITZ-CARLETON HOTEL. Meeting Place of Society in the exclusive Park Avenue District.

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MASONIC TEMPLE. Located on the Northeast corner of 6th Avenue and 23rd Street. Was erected in 1913 on the site of the old Masonic Temple.

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FIFTH AVENUE LOOKING SOUTH FROM 42ND STREET. This corner is one of the busiest in the world. At one time it was graced by the homes of New York's Four Hundred. It is no longer a residential section. This part of Fifth Avenue is facing the New York Public Library and is representative of New York life.

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BRYANT PARK. Showing the rear view of the New York Public Library. This space is lined by department stores and skyscrapers. During the Revolutionary War it was the scene of spirited fighting. The canteen situated here was a popular meeting place for soldiers during the late war.

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INTERIOR OF THE GRAND CENTRAL STATION. At certain times of the day the station is crowded by more than twenty thousand people.
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INTERIOR OF PENNSYLVANIA STATION. Its architecture suggests a cathedral. It is the largest Railroad Station in the world.
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GRAND CENTRAL STATION AND HOTEL COMMODORE. The Grand Central Station covers an area of 69.8 acres and has 31 miles of tracks capable of landing 200 trains and 70,000 passengers per hour. The Hotel Commodore is connected with the station by subway. It has 2000 rooms and is most modern in equipment. ©American Studio N. Y.



BUSH TERMINAL BUILDING, at 42nd Street near Broadway. This skyscraper deserves the name of "The Market Place of the World." It contains hundreds of sample rooms. © U. & U.



NEW YORK TIMES BUILDING, Broadway and 42nd Street, in the heart of the theatre district, owned by the New York Times, one of the Metropolitan Dailies. © U. & U.



BROADWAY AT 44th STREET. On the right the Hotel Claridge, on the left, the Hotel Astor. At night this part of the thoroughfare is ablaze with electric lights and is famous as the Great White Way. Within a radius of three blocks are dozens of amusement places.

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HOTEL ASTOR OCCUPIES THE ENTIRE BLOCK AT BROADWAY AND 44th STREET.
Its great ball room has been and still is the scene of many famous social functions. © U. & U.



BROADWAY AT 38th STREET, In the background is the Bush Building,
known as the castle in the air. © American Studio N. Y.



HOTEL PLAZA, at 59th Street and 5th Avenue. One of the exclusive hotels in the city.
It is a model of beauty and cost \$12,500,000.
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HOTEL MARTINIQUE, at Broadway and 32nd Street. Same management as Hotel
McAlpin. © U. & U.



B. F. KEITIP'S PALACE THEATRE, situated on Broadway near 47th Street. This theatre is the home of the best vaudeville. It has a seating capacity of 1800. ©American Studio N. Y.



METROPOLITAN OPERA HOUSE. One of the most famous Opera Houses in the world. It is supported by many of New York's wealthy residents. © U & U.



THE GLOBE THEATRE, situated on Broadway near 47th Street, considered the leading theatre in the musical comedy field. Has a seating capacity of 1190. © American Studio N. Y.



TAMMANY HALL. Originally a social and charitable society but has been for many years the most powerful political association in the city and state. © Keystone



THE NEW YORK YACHT CLUB, the city home of this famous club on 44th Street.
This club sponsors the International Yacht races and has held the cup since.



THE HARVARD CLUB, situated near the New York Yacht Club, on 44th Street, frequented by graduates of the great university whose name it bears. ©American Studio N. Y.



NEW YORK ATHLETIC CLUB, at 59th Street facing Central Park. The leading Athletic Club with thousands of members.
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BAR ASSOCIATION, situated on 44th Street. The seat of the most powerful lawyers' organization of the United States.
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CARNEGIE HALL, home of the Philharmonic Orchestra

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HIPPODROME. The largest theatre in New York City, seating 5200.

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UNION CLUB, Fifth Avenue and 51st Street.

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CENTURY OPERA HOUSE, 62nd Street and Central Park West.

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MAINE MONUMENT, marble structure at entrance to Central Park. Erected in 1913 to memory of heroes killed in explosion of Battleship "Maine" in Havana Harbor. © U. & U.



PULITZER FOUNTAIN. This fountain, situated near the entrance to Central Park at 59th Street, was given to the city by the late Joseph Pulitzer. © Irving Underhill



ST. BARTHOLOMEW CHURCH, Protestant Episcopal. Situated at 43rd Street and Madison Avenue. © U. & U.



CHURCH OF THE TRANSFIGURATION at 29th Street near 5th Avenue, known as the Little Church Around The Corner, and frequented by the dramatic profession. © U. & U.



OLD ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, famous old structure.

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ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL, at 5th Avenue and 50th Street. Finest Roman Catholic Church in the United States. Seating capacity 2500. Cost \$3,000,000. © Keystone



TEMPLE EMMANUEL. Synagogue at corner of 5th Avenue and 43d Street. One of the costliest religious structures in the city. Built of brown and yellow sandstone. © Keystone



TEMPLE BETH-EL. Jewish synagogue, situated on 5th Avenue at 76th Street. Its gilt-ribbed dome gives the edifice a distinct note of individuality. © Keystone View Co.



COOPER UNION, situated in Cooper Square, at 4th Avenue and 7th Street. Unique as an institute of learning and the scene of many socialistic debates. © American Studio



PRATT INSTITUTE, situated on Ryerson Street in Brooklyn. Founded primarily for instruction in technical courses and covering every branch of study in its field. © Underhill



NEW YORK UNIVERSITY BUILDINGS, on University Heights, showing the Hall of Fame, where the greatest Americans are honored. An imposing group of buildings. © Underhill



COLLEGE OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, at 138th Street and Amsterdam Avenue, with a view of the open space devoted to athletics. © American Studio



MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY, Central Park West of 81st Street. © U. & U.



METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART, 82nd Street and 5th Avenue. © Irving Underhill



THE CLAREMONT, the popular restaurant of Riverside Drive. © Irving Underhill



ROOSEVELT HOSPITAL, 9th Avenue and 59th Street.

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WOMAN'S HOSPITAL, 110th Street and Amsterdam Avenue.

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MT. SINAI HOSPITAL, 110th Street and 5th Avenue.

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ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION, Main Building.

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MORRIS HIGH SCHOOL, Boston Road at 166th Street.

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ST. FRANCIS HOSPITAL, Brook Avenue and 142nd Street.

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PRESBYTERIAN HOSPITAL, at 70th Street and Madison Avenue.

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DE WITT CLINTON HIGH SCHOOL, 59th Street and 10th Avenue.

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TERRACES, CENTRAL PARK, overlooking Bethesda Fountain and the Lake. One of the prettiest spots in the park and a splendid example of landscape gardening. Surmounting the fountain in the center of the pond is a graceful statue representing the angel blessing the water of the pool of Bethesda. The stairway is of limestone carved in birds, fruits and flowers. ©American Studio



HOME OF THE SEALS, in New York Zoological Garden.

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HUDSON RIVER WITH A VIEW OF PALISADES.

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BOAT HOUSE IN CENTRAL PARK.

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OBELISK IN CENTRAL PARK. It was known as Cleopatra's needle. Originally erected in Egypt in 1600 B. C. and carried to New York under great difficulties. © Keystone View Co.



VIADUCT OF THE ELEVATED RAILWAY AT 110th STREET, 73 feet above the level of the street. It is the highest point in the elevated train system. © U. & U.



GRANT'S TOMB, commanding a magnificent view of the Hudson River and Palisades on Riverside Drive and 123d Street. This memorial, erected to the famous General by the City of New York in 1897, is 72 feet in height. It is built of white granite with marble interior and cost \$600,000. General Grant and his wife are buried here. © U. & U.



RIVERSIDE DRIVE. One of New York's most attractive and picturesque highways. One side of the thoroughfare is lined with costly residences and handsome apartment buildings. At the right in the picture is the residence of Charles M. Schwab, one of the finest in the city. Grant's Tomb and the Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument are situated here. © American Studio



LARGE BIRD CAGE, New York Zoological Garden.

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ELEPHANT HOUSE, New York Zoological Garden.

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MUNICIPAL BUILDING, Borough of Bronx.

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BOTANICAL MUSEUM in Bronx Park.

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STATUE OF WASHINGTON AND LAFAYETTE, in memory of services rendered by France's illustrious soldier at the time of the Revolutionary War. © American Studio



STATUE OF GEORGE WASHINGTON, in front of Sub-Treasury Building, in Wall Street. © Underhill



STATUE OF GIOVANNI DA VERRAZZANO.

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STATUE OF GENERAL SHERMAN. This handsome memorial to William Tecumseh Sherman is situated at Fifth Avenue and 59th Street.

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SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' MONUMENT, on Riverside Drive, with a view of the Hudson River and Palisades. © U. & U.



HELL GATE BRIDGE, connecting Pennsylvania Railroad trains in Brooklyn to the New Haven trains. One of the largest bridges in the world, extending a thousand feet in length. © Irving Underhill